

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
DOCKET NO. 1:22-CV-00159-FDW**

THOMAS NELSON WILLINGHAM, )  
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vs. )  
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COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY )  
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ORDER

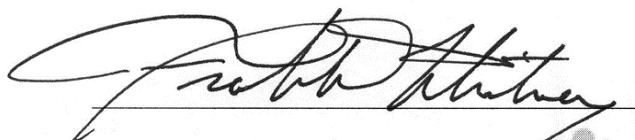
THIS MATTER is before the Court on the parties' Consent Motion to Remand, (Doc. No. 15). For the reasons stated in the motion, it is GRANTED.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that pursuant to the power of this Court to enter a judgment affirming, modifying, or reversing Defendant's decision with remand in Social Security actions under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), and in light of Defendant's motion, with Plaintiff's consent, to remand this case for further administrative proceedings, the Court hereby remands this case to Defendant, pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), for further administrative proceedings, including the opportunity for a hearing. See Melkonyan v. Sullivan, 501 U.S. 89 (1991); Shalala v. Schaefer, 509 U.S. 292 (1993).

The clerk of the Court will enter a separate judgment pursuant to Rule 58 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed: March 27, 2023

  
Frank D. Whitney  
United States District Judge

